

# HYPERMATED PAPER PREDICTS DEFEAT

## America In for "Cleaning Up" by Germany, Says Editor of Chicago Abendpost.

### GLOOMY PICTURE DRAWN

#### Compulsory Service Seen in Distance, With Refusal to Serve and Ultimate Humiliation of United States.

CHICAGO, April 20.—(Special.)—"If America joins the ranks of Germany's enemies by forcing the crisis created by President Wilson's ultimatum, it will mean in the end that the war will end with a thorough cleaning up and America will be among those conquered."

The foregoing is a passage from an editorial published today in the *Abendpost*, a leading German paper, edited in Chicago by Paul Mueller, who has recently returned from Washington, where he had a conference with Secretary Lansing on the German situation.

#### Home Trouble Predicted.

"If the American fleet does go across the ocean to meet the demands of war on the other side, and America forces her youth to join the armed forces by conscription, then the fleet may have to return quickly to this side to meet another situation more serious than the one confronting the Government in European waters."

Other striking passages in the editorial were gravely commented on by leading German-American citizens.

#### Move Regarded as Warning.

The editorial contains the following: "The die is cast. The pessimist of yesterday has become the prophet of today. What the conservative thinker regarded as impossible and monstrous in matters of vital importance to the Nation has been realized."

"The President has made a demand on the German government, which can scarcely be satisfied by compliance. In case Germany does not comply it is threatened that diplomatic relations will be broken off. If such relations are broken, then it logically follows that time, perhaps a few days, weeks or possibly months, will bring war. The new shining gold that the 'neutral' Americans have received at the hands of Germany's enemies for war material, will find its way back across the ocean."

#### Compulsion Thought Essential.

"Then will follow the fleet. Recruiting will be stimulated with haste. Finally America's youth will be compelled to fight for the 'honor' of America and the possession of the world."

## OREGON POLITICAL GOSSIP

### Dr. F. Damasch Candidate for Second Term as Coroner of Multnomah County on His Record in Office—More Questions Propounded for Legislative Candidates—One Officeholder Automatically Eliminated by Appointment to Another Office—Other Political News.

**"I** SEEK re-election upon my record," is the ballot slogan of Dr. F. H. Damasch, who is a candidate for election to a second term as Coroner of Multnomah County.

In his declaration of candidacy, filed with County Clerk Coffey, Dr. Damasch says:

"If re-elected to the office of County Coroner I shall continue on the principle that the Coroner's office should be independent of any private interests. Having established a morgue independent of any undertaking firm and having proved that such a system is not only practicable but desirable, I shall strive to place it upon a permanent basis, in the hope that we shall never again revert to the old order of things."

"In the matter of preventable fatalities, as in the case of the recent one, I shall endeavor to lessen the frequency of their occurrence by calling the attention of the proper authorities to the conditions which make for accidents."

Dr. Damasch is a native of San Francisco, where he was born in 1873. He has lived in Oregon since 1905, and has been a practicing physician and surgeon here since 1905.

Another series of questions has been fired at candidates for the Legislature from Multnomah County. This time the questioner is the Young Men's Forum of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, of Portland.

"Such information as we secure will be read at some business meeting of the Forum, before the entire membership of the organization," reads an accompanying letter sent to each candidate. "No recommendations as to any candidate will be made by the Forum. We are merely seeking first-hand information as to your qualifications and this information will be made available for the entire membership of the Forum, a membership composed of professional, business and laboring men of Portland."

Here are the questions: "Name, married or single, number of years in Oregon, ever held office, elective or appointive? Educational? Do you favor strict enforcement of the present prohibitory law? Do you favor stopping mail solicitations of liquor orders? Do you favor a law permitting any person or organization to bring an action in the name of the state, at the cost of the state, for the abatement of a liquor nuisance? 'Give your attitude toward proposed rural credit law; toward Oregon labor law; Do you favor present industrial welfare law of Oregon? Do you favor program of Industrial Welfare Commission providing for minimum wages and maximum hours for women workers? Have you constructive programs of merit that you desire brought to attention of electors of Multnomah County?'"

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"But it will not be possible to do this. Truth, true morals, right and justice will conquer over lies and hypocrisy, injustice and inequity. The gains of the latter will not lead to victory. These events must end finally in defeat of Germany's enemies, even if America be included among them."

#### Gloomy Future Forecast.

"How our affairs may shape themselves differently. The beautiful fleet may recross the ocean. It may come back again, in view of the danger to our own coast. There may be another call for volunteers to fight for the honor of America and the interests of England will then sink to a secondary position."

"Any attempt in this country to enforce military service, may lead to worse than even war with a foreign nation."

"When it is all ended, America may have lost its respect and honor and be considered only as the contemptible vassal of defeated England. Nothing else can be expected from a war that has its roots deep in the soil of international and 'humane' hypocrisy."

## DOCTORS ARE DUPED

### DAPPER YOUNG COLLEGE "GRAD" TOUCHES SURGEONS.

#### Five to Fifteen Dollars Coaxed From Pockets of Practitioners by Smooth, Glib "Engineer."

Several Portland physicians were victims of a hard-luck story yesterday from a supposed University of Michigan graduate, Dr. Fred Gullette, with offices in the Medical building, was one.

He declares that the alleged college man's story, which coaxed \$10 to \$15 from well-known practitioners, was the most plausible one he had ever heard.

The young man, Dr. Gullette says, was well dressed and possessed of a pleasing manner. He presented himself at the office of Dr. Gullette and represented himself as a civil engineer on his way to Roseburg. He needed enough money to pay railroad transportation. The fare, he said, was \$4. Dr. Gullette suspected nothing crooked, so gave him \$5.

After the stranger had gone, Dr. Gullette told the story to other physicians in the building and discovered that three of them had "fallen for" the same story.

Dr. Gullette said the young man told him he had called at the University Club to get in touch with some of the alumni of the Michigan institution.

The young man gave his home address as Hagerstown, Md.

### Texas Pastor Is Called.

The First Christian Church, of this city, has issued a call to the Rev. John G. Slater, pastor of the Christian Church of East Dallas, Tex.

Rev. George Darsie, who resigned from the Portland First Church recently, will terminate his pastorate on May 1, when he will leave for Lawrence, Kan., to take charge of the church there.

A reply from Dr. Slater is expected within a few days.

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## DOG MAY BITE ONCE

### OWNER NOT LIABLE FIRST TIME, CONTENTS DEFENDANT.

#### Judge Davis May Decide This Nice Point in Suit for \$10,000 Now on Trial in His Court.

A dog is entitled by law to bite one person, if it is a first offense, without the owner being held liable. For a second attack, the dogowner is in danger of a damage suit, for the canine would have proved viciousness by the former one.

This is the nice legal point raised by the defendants yesterday in the suit being tried before Circuit Judge Davis, in which Dr. K. A. J. Mackenzie is being sued for \$10,000 damages by Mrs. Kiratan Neilson, who maintains that she was badly bitten by three of the physician's hunting dogs in January, 1914.

The defense moved for a non-suit yesterday noon, which was denied, and for a directed verdict in favor of the defendant at the close of the session yesterday. The latter motion was taken under advisement until this morning by Judge Davis. On both motions, Attorney C. E. Cochran contended that Dr. Mackenzie could not be held responsible for the acts of his dogs, two of which were puppies, because they had never shown any previous viciousness that would have made it advisable to keep them tethered.

Judge Davis held, in his ruling on

## EAST SIDE WANTS PARADE

### Parents Select Grand Avenue for Festival Procession.

The children's parade committee from the East Side Business Men's Club, C. W. Hodson, A. M. Webster, Dan Kellner, C. W. Meadows, Robert Andrews and M. O. Collins, held a session yesterday at which time reports were received by the committee that sentiment is strongly in favor of holding the children's parade on Grand avenue as formerly. Robert Andrews reported that out of a poll taken at the meeting of Orient Lodge of Oddfellows Wednesday night, nine fathers out of 10 preferred Grand avenue. L. M. Lepper reported that the Parent-Teacher circles generally had endorsed Grand avenue.

It is the plan of the committee to appeal directly to parents and get their sentiment as to where they prefer to hold the parade, which may be done through clubs and other organizations.

## 12 SIGN FOR TRADE TRIP

### BIG BUSINESS INTERESTS ARE REPRESENTED ON SPECIAL.

#### North Yakima Excursion, Favored by Chamber, Is Intended to Bring About Closer Relations.

Registrations yesterday for the Yakima excursion to be run under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce numbered 12, and the institutions the dozen men represent are of such standing in the Pacific Northwest that J. E. Davidson, chairman of the excursion committee, gave it as his opinion that the strongest and best business interests will be represented.

The excursion party will leave the city at midnight next Monday and will return to Portland the following Saturday. The party will travel aboard a special train, carrying their own dinner and observation car.

The trip, it is pointed out, is to be a

business one, strictly, and its great object is to build closer relations with the districts to be visited by Portland firms.

Those registering for the Yakima trip are: C. C. Coit, president Portland Chamber of Commerce and president Union Meat Company; Edgar R. Piper, The Oregonian; Allen & Lewis Company; R. G. Dun & Co.; Manager Western Union Telegraph Company; W. A. Robb; Brownville Woolen Mills; Sweetser, Varney & Straub; Portland Flouring Mills Company; Doney & Co.; U. S. Steel Products Company; First National Bank; Franklin T. Griffith, the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company; A. G. Labbe, the Willamette Iron Works; R. H. Crozier and D. C. Freeman, Spokane, Portland & Seattle Railway; R. D. Fontana, Oregon Packing Company; J. A. Sanborn, American Express Company.

#### Women to Meet Today.

Woodstock Parent-Teacher Association will meet today. The regular session will be postponed until next Friday.

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